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- 08/23/85 - MO&O ADOPTED BY CHIEF, CC BUREAU DENYING TURNER BROADCASTING SYSTEM, INC.'S PETITION TO REJECT; AND THAT AN INVESTIGATION IS INSTITUTED INTO THE LAWFULNESS OF THE THEREIN TARIFF REVISIONS. (6715). RELEASED: 09/03/85. LFM/BES
- 10/30/85 - MO&O ADOPTED IN CC 80-634 & THIS PROCEEDING DIRECTING THAT AN INVESTIGATION IS INSTITUTED INTO THE LAWFULNESS OF THE TARIFF REVISIONS PROPOSED BY COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION IN TARIFF F.C.C. NOS. 101 AND 14, TRANSMITTAL NOS. 546, 553 AND 558, AND TARIFF F.C.C. NO. 103, TRANSMITTAL NOS. 565, 570, 574 AND 575 AND BY COMSAT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC., IN TARIFF F.C.C. NO. 1, TRANSMITTAL NOS. 1, 2, 3 AND 4; THIS INVESTIGATION IS CONSOLIDATED IN CC DOCKET NO. 85-268 WITH THE INVESTIGATION PREVIOUSLY ORDERED WITH RESPECT TO THE COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S TRANSMITTAL NOS. 507, 510, 516, 536 AND 542; THE COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION AND COMSAT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC., SHALL BE PARTIES. ANY OTHER INTERESTED PARTY MAY FILE A REPLY CASE OR COMMENTS IN RESPONSE TO THE DIRECT CASE FILED BY THE COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION OR COMSAT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC.; THE COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION AND COMSAT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC., SHALL SUBMIT THEIR DIRECT CASE RESPONDING TO THE INVESTIGATION ISSUES STATED THEREIN NOT LATER THAN 60 DAYS AFTER THE RELEASE OF THIS ORDER. OTHER PARTIES MAY FILE THEIR REPLY CASES OR COMMENTS NOT LATER THAN 30 DAYS AFTER THE RELEASE OF A PUBLIC NOTICE ANNOUNCING THE FILING OF THE DIRECT CASES; GRANTING TO THE EXTENT DESCRIBED THEREIN WOLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC., ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC., RCA COMMUNICATIONS, INC., TURNER BROADCASTING SYSTEM, INC., INTERNATIONAL RELAY, INC., AMERICAN SATELLITE COMPANY AND SIN, INC.'S PETITIONS AGAINST THE COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S TRANSMITTAL NO. 546, AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANIES, INC., CBS, INC., THE EUROPEAN BROADCASTING UNION AND THE NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC., EQUATORIAL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INTERNATIONAL RELAY, INC., ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC., SIN, INC., VISNEWS, LTD., AND THE TURNER BROADCASTING SYSTEM, INC.'S PETITIONS AGAINST THE COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S TRANSMITTAL NO. 565; THE AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANIES, INC., CBS, INC., THE EUROPEAN BROADCASTING UNION AND THE NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, EQUATORIAL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, TURNER BROADCASTING SYSTEM, INC., SIN, INC., ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC., AND RCA AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S PETITIONS AGAINST COMSAT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S TARIFF NO. 1, TRANSMITTAL NO. 1, WOLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND THE JAPANESE INTERNATIONAL SATELLITE JOINT USERS ORGANIZATION'S PETITIONS AGAINST COMSAT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S TARIFF F.C.C. NO. 2, TRANSMITTAL NO. 1, AND ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC., AND INTERNATIONAL RELAY, INC.'S PETITIONS AGAINST INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS EARTH STATION, INC.'S TARIFF F.C.C. NO. 1, TRANSMITTAL NO. 1, AND DENYING THEM OTHERWISE; THE COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION AND COMSAT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC. ARE REQUIRED TO KEEP ACCURATE

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- ACCOUNT OF AMOUNTS RECEIVED UNDER THE THEREIN TARIFFS UNTIL FURTHER ORDER; & THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE ON ADOPTION. (0672) RELEASED: 11/08/85. LFM L2/27/85 - ERRATUM RELEASED. LFM
- 11/27/85 - MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO RESPOND TO QUESTIONS D1 AND D2 IN THE 10/30/85 MO&O FILED BY RUTH E. SIGLER, ATTY., SPACE COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION FOR COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION. LFM (02/20/86 - GRANTED)
- 12/05/85 - CONSENT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO FILE ITS APPLICATION FOR REVIEW OF THE CC BUREAU'S 10/30/85 MO&O FILED BY LINDA M. WELLSTEIN, ATTY., FOR THE JAPANESE INTERNATIONAL SATELLITE JOINT USERS ORGANIZATION. LFM
- 12/06/85 - MO&O ADOPTED BY CHIEF, CC BUREAU IN CC 80-634 & THIS PROCEEDING DIRECTING THAT INTERESTED PARTIES MAY FILE APPLICATIONS FOR REVIEW OF

THE 10/30/85 MO&O NOT LATER THAN 12/16/85. (1340) RELEASED:
12/09/85. LFM

- 01/03/86 - MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO RESPOND TO THE INVESTIGATION INSTITUTED IN THE 10/30/85 MO&O FILED BY RUTH E. SIGLER, ATTY., SPACE COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION FOR COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION. LFM
- 01/13/86 - RESPONSES TO THE CC BUREAU'S 10/30/85 MO&O COVERING COST ALLOCATION ISSUES, TAXES, DEMAND FORECASTS, AND THE COSTS OF FORMING ITS NEW EARTH STATION SUBSIDIARY FILED BY JOHN S. HANNON, JR., VICE PRES., & ATTY., COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION. LFM
- 02/20/86 - MO&O ADOPTED BY CHIEF, CC BUREAU IN CC 80-634 & THIS PROCEEDING GRANTING COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S 11/27/85 MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME, AND IT MAY FILE ITS RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS D.1 AND D.2 BY 03/03/86. (2764) RELEASED: 02/21/86. LFM
- 03/17/86 - JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO FILE THEIR REPLY CASE FILED BY JOSEPH M. KITTNER, RANDOLPH J. MAY & TIMOTHY J. COONEY, ATTYS., FOR AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANIES, INC., CBS, INC. & NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. LFM (03/26/85 - GRANTED)
- 03/19/86 - COMMENTS ON AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANIES, INC., CBS, INC. & NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.'S 03/17/86 JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FILED BY LLOYD D. YOUNG, ATTY., FOR TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION. LFM
- 03/26/86 - MO&O ADOPTED BY CHIEF, CC BUREAU IN CC 80-634 & THIS PROCEEDING GRANTING AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANIES, INC., CBS INC. & NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.'S 03/17/86 JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME, AND REPLY CASES MAY BE FILED NO LATER THAN 04/28/86. (3428) RELEASED: 03/28/86. LFM
- 04/28/86 - JOINT COMMENTS ON COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S 01/13/86 RESPONSE FILED BY JOSEPH M. KITTNER, RANDOLPH J. MAY & TIMOTHY J. COONEY, ATTYS., FOR AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANIES, INC., CBS INC., & NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. LFM 04/29/86 - CORRECTED PG. 41 FILED. LFM
- 04/28/86 - SUPPLEMENTAL COMMENTS ON COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S 01/13/86 RESPONSE FILED BY STEVEN A. LEVY & STEVEN R. MILES, ATTYS,

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- 04/28/86 - FOR INTERNATIONAL RELAY, INC. LFM
- 04/28/86 - JOINT SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY CASE AND COMMENTS ON COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S 01/13/86 RESPONSE FILED BY ROGER P. NEWELL, VICE PRESIDENT & ATTY., & LLOYD D. YOUNG, ATTY., FOR FTCC MCDONNELL DOUGLAS INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY & LLOYD D. YOUNG, ATTY., FOR TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION. LFM
- 04/28/86 - REPLY COMMENTS ON COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S 01/13/86 RESPONSE FILED BY NORMAN P. LEVENTHAL, RAUL R. RODRIGUEZ & MARY C. LYONS, ATTYS., FOR SIN, INC. LFM
- 04/28/86 - REPLY TO COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S 01/13/86 RESPONSE FILED BY HENRY GOLDBERT & JOSEPH A. GODLES, ATTYS., FOR TURNER BROADCASTING SYSTEM, INC. LFM
- 04/28/86 - REPLY TO COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S 01/13/86 RESPONSE FILED BY PHILLIP L. SPECTOR & REGINA HARRISON, ATTYS., FOR EQUATORIAL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES. LFM
- 04/28/86 - JOINT REPLY CASE TO COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S 01/13/86 RESPONSES FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN, ATTY., FOR FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORPORATION, THEODORE J. FISCHKIN, ATTY., FOR ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC. & STEVEN A. LEVY, ATTY., FOR INTERNATIONAL RELAY, INC. LFM
- 04/28/86 - REPLY CASE TO COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION'S 01/13/86 RESPONSES FILED BY A. DOYLE CLOUD, NATHANIEL P. BREEN & ROBERT E. CONN, ATTYS., FOR FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORPORATION. LFM
- 05/15/86 - JOINT MOTION FOR DISCOVERY REQUESTING AN ORDER REQUIRING THE COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION TO RESPOND TO THE INFORMATION REQUESTS ATTACHED THERETO FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEY FOR FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORPORATION; ROGER P. NEWELL, ATTORNEY FOR FTCC MCDONNELL DOUGLAS INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY; SCOTT K. SOCOL & JOHN M. SCORCE, ATTORNEY FOR MCI INTERNATIONAL, INC.; AND,

LLOYD D. YOUNG, ATTORNEY FOR TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION (PETITIONERS). BES

- 06/09/86 - REPLY TO COMSAT'S OPPOSITION TO THE MOTION FOR DISCOVERY FILED ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEY FOR FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORPORATION, ROGER P. NEWELL, ATTORNEY FOR FTCC MCDONNELL DOUGLAS INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, SCOTT K. SOCOL AND RUTH BAKER-BATTIST, ATTORNEYS FOR MCI INTERNATIONAL, INC. AND LLOYD D. YOUNG, ATTORNEY FOR TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION. FMY
- 07/09/86 - SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE FILED BY JOHN S. HANNON, JR., RUTH E. SIGLER, WILLIAM K. COULTER AND SALLY KATZEN, ATTORNEYS FOR COMSAT. FMY
- 07/23/86 - COMMENTS ON COMSAT'S 07/09/86 SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEY FOR FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORPORATION, ROGER P. NEWELL, FTCC MCDONNELL DOUGLAS INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY AND LLOYD D. YOUNG, ATTORNEY FOR TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION. FMY
- 08/01/86 - LETTER RESTATING ITS EARLIER OPPOSITION TO THE CARRIERS MOTION FOR DISCOVERY AS WELL AS TO THEIR DEMANDS FOR INTERIM RATE REDUCTIONS AND REFUNDS FILED BY RUTH E. SIGLER, ATTORNEY FOR COMSAT. FMY

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- 08/22/86 - REPLY TO COMSAT'S 07/09/86 SUPPLEMENTAL RRESPONSE FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEY FOR FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORPORATION, ROGER P. NEWELL, ATTORNEY FOR FTCC MCDONNELL DOUGLAS INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, RUTH BAKER-BATTIST, SCOTT K. SOCOL AND JOHN M. SCORCE, ATTORNEYS FOR MCI INTERNATIONAL, INC. AND LLOYD D. YOUNG, ATTORNEY FOR TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION. FMY
- 08/22/86 - MOTION TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEY FOR FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORPORATION, ROGER P. NEWELL, ATTORNEY FOR FTCC MCDONNELL DOUGLAS INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, RUTH BAKER-BATTIST, SCOTT K. SOCOL AND JOHN M. SCORCE, ATTORNEYS FOR MCI INTERNATIONAL, INC. AND LLOYD D. YOUNG, ATTORNEY FOR TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION. FMY
- 08/25/86 - EXHIBITS A-Y FILED. FMY
- 10/01/86 - NOTICE OF CHANGE OF ADDRESS FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEY. FMY
- 11/04/86 - REQUEST FOR OFFICIAL NOTICE FILED BY PHILLIP L. SPECTOR AND REGINA HARRISON, ATTORNEYS FOR EQUATORIAL COMMUNICATION SERVICES. FMY
- 11/05/86 - ERRATUM FILED. FMY
- 04/03/87 - MO&O ADOPTED BY CHIEF, CC BUREAU DIRECTING THAT COMSAT'S CLAIMED WORKING CAPTIAL ALLOWANCE FOR ITS SPACE SEGMENT OPERATIONS IS DISALLOWED, COMSAT IS HEREBY ORDERED TO RECALCULATE THE RATES ORIGINALLY PROPOSED IN TRANSMITTAL NOS. 546 AND 565 IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPH 30, THEREIN, AND TO PROPOSE A METHOD AND SCHEDULE FOR IDENTIFYING AND REFUNDING REVENUES ASSOCIATED WITH OVEREARNINGS RESULTING FROM THIS DISALLOWANCE; THAT COMSAT IS ALSO ORDERED TO REVISE ITS EXISTING RATES AS NECESSARY TO REFLECT THIS DISALLOWANCE; COMSAT'S REVENUE REQUIREMENT CALCULATIONS, REFUND CALCULATIONS, AND RATE REVISIONS MADE PURSUANT TO THIS PARAGRAPH MUST BE VERIFIED BY AN INDEPENDENT AUDITOR; THAT COMSAT IS ORDERED TO COMPLY WITH THESE REQUIREMENTS NO LATER THAN 45 DAYS AFTER RELEASE OF THIS ORDER; THAT COMSAT SHALL PROVIDE THE INFORMATION SPECIFIED IN PARAGRAPH 31, THEREIN, NO LATER THAN 45 DAYS AFTER RELEASE OF THIS ORDER; THAT COMSAT'S ALLOCATION OF NETWORK MANAGEMENT ACTION SYSTEM CAPITAL COSTS TO ITS SPACE SEGMENT OPERATIONS UNDER TRANSMITTAL NO. 565 IS DISALLOWED TO THE EXTENT THAT IT EXCEEDS THE 19 PERCENT ALLOCATION EMPLOYED IN TRANSMITTAL NO. 546; THAT COMSAT IS HEREBY ORDERED TO RECALCULATE THE SPACE SEGMENT RATES PROPOSED IN TRANSMITTAL NO 565 TO REFLECT HIS DISALLOWANCE AND TO PROPOSE A REFUND METHODOLOGY THAT RECOGNIZES REVENUES ASSOCIATED WITH ANY OVEREARNINGS RESULTING FROM THIS DISALLOWANCE, CONSISTENT WITH THE DISCUSSION AT PARAGRAPH 38, THEREIN; THAT COMSAT IS ORDERED TO REPORT TO THIS COMMISSION NO LATER THAN 45 DAYS AFTER THE RELEASE OF THIS ORDER AS TO THE METHOD BY WHICH REFUNDS HAVE BEEN CALCULATED AND THE SCHEDULE PROPOSED FOR THEIR IMPLEMENTATION; THAT COMSAT'S REVENUE REQUIREMENT CALCULATIONS, RATE REVISIONS, AND REFUND CALCULATIONS MADE PURSUANT TO THIS PARAGRAPH MUST BE VERIFIED BY AN INDEPENDENT AUDITOR; THAT COMSAT'S

OCCASIONAL TELEVISION SERVICE RATES ARE UNLAWFUL; THAT COMSAT IS
HEREBY ORDERED TO REVISE ITS RATES FOR OCCASIONAL TELEVISION SERVICE,

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AND SERVICES EFFECTED THEREIN, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS
SET FORTH IN PARAGRAPH 43; THAT COMSAT IS DIRECTED TO FILE TARIFFS
REVISING RATES FOR THE SPACE SEGMENT OF OCCASIONAL TELEVISION SERVICE
IN ACCORD WITH THESE REQUIREMENTS NO LATER THAN 45 DAYS AFTER RELEASE
OF THIS ORDER, TO BE EFFECTIVE ON NOTICE REQUIRED BY SECTION 61.58 OF
THE COMMISSION'S RULES; THAT IN ADDITION TO THE FILING REQUIREMENTS
GENERALLY IMPOSED BY THE COMMISSION'S RULES FOR DOCKETED
INVESTIGATIONS, A SEPARATE COPY OF THE INFORMATION REQUIRED ABOVE
(OTHER THAN TARIFF FILINGS) SHOULD BE FILED WITH THE COMMISSION'S
COMMERCIAL CONTRACT DUPLICATOR; THE CHIEF, CC BUREAU; THE CHIEF,
TARIFF DIVISION; THE CHIEF, INTERNATIONAL FACILITIES DIVISION;
AND THE RESPECTIVE DIVISIONS' REFERENCE ROOMS; THAT COMSAT IS
REQUIRED TO ESTABLISH AND SUBMIT TO THE COMMISSION WITHIN 45
DAYS OF THE RELEASE OF THIS ORDER, A METHOD AND SCHEDULE FOR THE
REFUND OF REVENUES ASSOCIATED WITH EARNINGS IN EXCESS OF 12.48
PERCENT, AS IDENTIFIED IN PARAGRAPHS 74-77 AND ATTACHMENT A,
THEREIN, INCLUDING AN ALLOWANCE FOR INTEREST ON REVENUES ASSOCIATED
WITH EARNINGS IN EXCESS OF 12.48 PERCENT, AS SPECIFIED IN NOTE 57,
THEREIN, OR SHOW CAUSE WHY SUCH REFUNDS SHOULD NOT BE IMPLEMENTED;
THAT, AT THE SAME TIME, COMSAT IS REQUIRED TO EXPAND ITS D1 COST OF
SERVICE STUDY TO COVER THE PERIOD BETWEEN 05/23/78 AND 12/31/82, AND
CALCULATE THE REVENUES ASSOCIATED WITH EXCESS EARNINGS FOR THAT
PERIOD, CONSISTENT WITH THE METHOD DESCRIBED IN TABLE III OF
ATTACHMENT A; THAT COMSAT SHOULD SUBMIT THIS EXPANDED COST OF SERVICE
STUDY WHETHER IT ELECTS TO COMPLY WITH THE REFUND REQUIREMENTS
IDENTIFIED IN PARAGRAPHS 74-77 OR TO CONTEST THEM; THAT INTERESTED
PARTIES MAY COMMENT ON COMSAT'S PROPOSAL OR SHOWING NO LATER THAN
30 DAYS AFTER THE TIME FOR COMSAT'S RESPONSE HAS ENDED. (DA 87-398)
REL. 04/06/87 WEG

- 04/15/87 - MOTION FOR LEAVE TO BECOME A PARTY FILED BY ALEXANDER P. HUMPHRY FOR
RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC. GJ (06/16/87 GRANTED, MO&O)
- 05/01/87 - MODIFICATION OF ORDER MODIFYING THE BUREAU'S 04/06/87 "MO&O", (DA
87-398) FILED BY ALBERT HALPRIN, CHIEF FOR COMMON CARRIER BUREAU.
GJ
- 05/06/87 - APPLICATION FOR REVIEW OF THE 04/03/87 ORDER FILED BY RANDOLPH
J. MAY, TIMOTHY J. COONEY, AND SAM ANTAR, ATTORNEYS FOR CAPITAL
CITIES/ABC; BY JOSEPH DEFRANCO, ATTORNEY FOR CBS, INC.; AND BY
HOWARD MONDERER, ATTORNEY FOR NBC. WEG
- 05/06/87 - PETN. FOR PARTIAL RECONSIDERATION OF THE 04/03/87 MO&O, DA 87-
398, FILED BY NATHANIEL P. BREED AND ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEYS FOR
FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORPORATION. WEG (12/10/87 -
DENIED/MO&O)
- 05/07/87 - PETN. FOR PARTIAL RECONSIDERATION OF THE 04/03/87 MO&O
FILED BY SUSAN I. LITTMAN, ATTORNEY FOR ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS.
WEG (12/10/87 - DENIED/MO&O)
- 05/15/87 - MOTN. TO ESTABLISH A CONSOLIDATED PLEADING SCHEDULE AND FOR OTHER
RELIEF FILED BY SALLY KATZEN, ANDREA ANN TIMKO, RICHARD E. WILEY,

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- 05/15/87 - PHILIP V. PERMUT, AND WILLARD R. NICHOLS, ATTORNEYS FOR
COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION. WEG
- 05/15/87 - RESPONSE TO THE 04/03/87 SHOW CAUSE ORDER FILED BY J. ROGER
WOLLENBERG, SALLY KATZEN, ANDREA ANN TIMKO, RICHARD K. LAHNE,
RICHARD E. WILEY, PHILIP V. PERMUT, WILLIARD R. NICHOLS, WARREN Y.
ZEGER, RUTH E. SIGLER, WILLIAM K. COULTER, ATTORNEYS FOR
COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION. WEG
- 05/20/87 - PARTIAL OPPOSITION TO COMSAT'S 05/15/87 "MOTION TO ESTABLISH A
CONSOLIDATED PLEADING SCHEDULE & FOR OTHER RELIEF" FILED BY
PHILLIP L. SPECTOR & JONATHAN L. WIENER, ATTORNEYS FOR EQUATORIAL
COMMUNICATION SERVICES. BD

05/21/87 - MOTN. FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE AND TO SUBMIT COMMENTS IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR REVIEW FILED BY PHILLIP L. SPECTOR AND JONATHAN L. WIENER, ATTORNEYS FOR PAN AMERICAN SATELLITE. WEG

05/21/87 - MOTN. FOR ACCEPTANCE OF PLEADING FILED BY NORMAN P. LEVENTHAL, RAUL R. RODRIGUEZ, AND MARY C. LYONS, ATTORNEYS FOR UNIVISION, INC. WEG

05/21/87 - COMMENTS IN SUPPORT OF CAPITAL CITIES ET AL'S 05/06/87 APPLICATION FOR REVIEW AND FEDEX' AND ITT'S, RESPECTIVE, 05/06/87 AND 05/07/87 PETNS. FOR RECONSIDERATION FILED BY HENRY GOLDBERG AND JOSEPH A. GODLES, ATTORNEYS FOR TURNER BROADCASTING SYSTEM. WEG

05/22/87 - PUBLIC NOTICE ENTITLED "COMMON CARRIER BUREAU ANNOUNCES INTENTION TO REVISE PLEADING DATES IN COMSAT INVESTIGATION" RELEASED. WEG

06/16/87 - MO&O ADOPTED BY CHIEF, CC BUREAU DIRECTING THAT COMSAT SUBMIT A PROPOSED REFUND SCHEDULE AND METHODOLOGY, RESPONSIVE TO THE REQUIREMENTS STATED IN PARAS. 10-11, THEREIN, NO LATER THAN 07/11/87; THAT COMMENTS ON COMSAT'S REFUND PROPOSAL, AND ON COMSAT'S 05/15/87 RESPONSE TO THE SHOW CAUSE ORDER, ARE DUE NO LATER THAN 07/31/87; THAT COMSAT'S CONSOLIDATED OPPOSITION TO PETNS. FOR RECONSIDERATION AND THE APPLICATION FOR REVIEW OF THE 04/06/87 ORDER IN CC DOCKET NOS. 80-634 AND 85-268 IS DUE NO LATER THAN 06/26/87; THAT PAGE LIMITATION ON OPPOSITIONS TO PETNS. FOR RECONSIDERATION SHALL APPLY SEPARATELY TO COMSAT'S ARGUMENTS DIRECTED TO THE INDIVIDUAL PETNS.; THAT PETITIONERS AND THE APPLICANT FOR REVIEW MAY REPLY TO COMSAT'S CONSOLIDATED OPPOSITION NO LATER THAN 07/10/87; THAT COMSAT'S OBLIGATION TO RECALCULATE RATES THAT REFLECT THE DISALLOWANCE OF WORKING CAPITAL AND NETWORK MANAGEMENT ACTION SYSTEM COSTS DETERMINED IN THE 04/06/87 ORDER IS DEFERRED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE; THAT COMSAT SHALL SUBMIT OCCASIONAL TELEVISION SERVICE RATES WITH FULL COST JUSTIFICATION, OR A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF CIRCUMSTANCES JUSTIFYING THEIR FAILURE TO RECOVER COSTS (INCLUDING SPECIFICATION OF THE ANTICIPATED REVENUE SHORTFALL AND THE ACCOUNTING PROCEDURES EMPLOYED TO ASSURE ITS ALLOCATION TO SHAREHOLDERS); GRANTING RCA GLOBAL'S 04/15/87 MOTN. FOR LEAVE TO BECOME A PARTY. (3660) REL. 06/17/87 WEG

06/26/87 - CONSOLIDATED OPPOSITION TO ITT'S, FEDEX'S, AND CAPITAL CITIES, ET AL'S, RESPECTIVE, 05/06/87 AND 05/07/87 PETNS. FOR RECONS. AND

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APPLICATION FOR REVIEW FILED BY SALLY KATZEN, RICHARD LAHNE, RICHARD E. WILEY, PHILIP V. PERMUT, WILLARD R. NICHOLS, AND RUTH E. SIGLER, ATTORNEYS FOR COMSAT CORP. WEG

07/10/87 - PROPOSAL FOR IMPLEMENTING REFUNDS FILED BY WILLARD R. NICHOLS, RUTH E. SIGLER, SALLY KATZEN, RICHARD K. LAHNE, RICHARD E. WILEY, AND PHILIP V. PERMUT, ATTORNEYS FOR COMSAT. WEG

07/10/87 - REPLY TO COMSAT'S 06/26/87 CONSOLIDATED OPPOSITION TO PETNS. FOR RECONS. AND APPLICATION FOR REVIEW FILED BY THEODORE J. FISCHKIN, ATTORNEY FOR ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS. WEG

07/10/87 - REPLY TO COMSAT'S 06/26/87 CONSOLIDATED OPPOSITION TO PETNS. FOR RECONS. AND APPLICATION FOR REVIEW FILED BY NATHANIEL P. BREED, ROBERT E. CONN, AND A. DOYLE CLOUD, ATTORNEYS FOR FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORPORATION. WEG

07/10/87 - REPLY TO COMSAT'S 06/26/87 CONSOLIDATED OPPOSITION TO PETNS. FOR RECONS. AND APPLICATION FOR REVIEW FILED BY RANDOLPH J. MAY, TIMOTHY J. COONEY, AND SAM ANTAR, ATTORNEYS FOR CAPITAL CITIES/ABC; BY JOSEPH DEFRANCO, ATTORNEY FOR CBS, INC.; AND BY HOWARD MONDERER, ATTORNEY FOR NBC, INC. WEG

07/22/87 - SUBMISSION OF INFORMATION REGARDING ITS WORKING CAPITAL, NETWORK MANAGEMENT ACTION SYSTEM, AND ZERO-COST FUNDS FILED BY RUTH E. SIGLER, ATTORNEY FOR COMSAT. WEG

07/31/87 - COMMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN AND NATHANIEL P. BREED, ATTORNEYS FOR FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORP. WEG

07/31/87 - COMMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY RANDOLPH J. MAY AND TIMOTHY J. COONEY, ATTORNEYS FOR CAPITAL CITIES, ET AL; BY SAM ANTAR, ATTORNEY FOR CAPITAL CITIES; BY JOSEPH DEFRANCO, ATTORNEY FOR

- CBS INC.; AND BY HOWARD MONDERER, ATTORNEY FOR NBC, INC. WEG
- 07/31/87 - COMMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY PHILLIP L. SPECTOR, ATTORNEY FOR PAN AMERICAN SATELLITE. WEG
- 07/31/87 - COMMENTS ON COMSAT'S RESPONSE TO SHOW CAUSE ORDER FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY NATHANIEL P. BREED AND ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEYS FOR FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORPORATION. WEG
- 07/31/87 - COMMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY NORMAN P. LEVENTHAL, RAUL R. RODRIGUEZ, MARY C. LYONS, AND STEPHEN D. BARUCH, ATTORNEYS FOR UNIVISION, INC. WEG
- 07/31/87 - COMMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY JOSEPH A. GODLES AND HENRY GOLDBERG, ATTORNEYS FOR TURNER BROADCASTING SYSTEM, INC. WEG
- 07/31/87 - COMMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY ALEXANDER P. HUMPHREY, ATTORNEY FOR RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS. WEG
- 07/31/87 - COMMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY RUTH S. BAKER-BATTIST AND JOHN M. SCORCE, ATTORNEYS FOR MCI COMMUNICATIONS. WEG
- 07/31/87 - STATEMENT AND REPLY TO COMSAT'S RESPONSE TO SHOW CAUSE ORDER AND PROPOSAL FOR IMPLEMENTING REFUNDS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY RODERICK A. METTE, ATTORNEY FOR TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS. WEG

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- 07/31/87 - COMMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY THEODORE J. FISCHKIN, ATTORNEY FOR ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS. WEG
- 07/31/87 - COMMENTS ON FLOW-THROUGH ISSUE AND PROPOSAL FOR IMPLEMENTING REFUNDS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY ROGER P. NEWELL, ATTORNEY FOR FTC COMMUNICATIONS, INC. WEG
- 07/31/87 - COMMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY KEITH E. MCCLINTOCK AND MARC N. EPSTEIN, ATTORNEYS FOR AT&T. WEG
- 08/03/87 - COMMENTS ON FLOW-THROUGH ISSUE AND PROPOSAL FOR IMPLEMENTING REFUNDS FILED PURSUANT TO THE 06/16/87 MO&O FILED BY ROGER P. NEWELL, ATTORNEY FOR FTC COMMUNICATIONS, INC. WEG
- 09/10/87 - LETTER COMMENTS IN RESPONSE TO THAT PORTION OF COMSAT'S 08/14/87 "LETTER" PERTAINING TO RATES FOR THE DATANET SERVICE FILED BY PHILIP L. SPECTOR, ATTORNEY FOR EQUATORIAL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES (EQUATORIAL). BD
- 10/08/87 - JOINT REQUEST TO WITHDRAW THEIR 05/06/87 PENDING "APPLN. FOR REVIEW" FILED BY RANDOLPH J. MAY & TIMOTHY J. COONEY FOR CAPITAL CITIES/ABC, INC., CBS INC. & NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC., ET AL. BD
- 11/13/87 - LETTER REQUESTING LEAVE TO WITHDRAW ITS 05/21/87 "COMMENTS" SUPPORTING THE CBS, NBC & CAPITAL CITIES/ABC JOINT "APPLN. FOR REVIEW;" AND, THEREBY PROVIDING CERTAIN INFORMATION THE COMMON CARRIER BUREAU HAD REQUESTED CONCERNING ITS USAGE OF COMSAT'S FULL PERIOD & OCCASIONAL TELEVISION SERVICES FILED BY JOSEPH A. GODLES, ATTORNEY FOR TURNER BROADCASTING SYSTEM, INC. (TBS). BD
- 12/10/87 - MEMORANDUM OPINION & ORDER ADOPTED DIRECTING THAT COMSAT IS REQUIRED TO REFUND TO ITS CUSTOMERS TAKING SERVICE BETWEEN 08/01/84 AND 12/31/86, THE AGGREGATE SUM OF \$38.755 MILLION DOLLARS, REPRESENTING THE REVENUES ACCRUED DURING THAT PERIOD IN EXCESS OF 12.48 PERCENT RETURN AND ACCRUED INTEREST AS CALCULATED IN APPENDIX C, TO BE APPORTIONED BETWEEN THESE CUSTOMERS ON A BASIS REFLECTING THE CHARGES FOR SERVICE INCURRED BY CUSTOMERS; THE AGGREGATE SUM, LESS AMOUNTS DUE TO END USER CUSTOMERS, SHALL BE DEPOSITED IN AN INTEREST BEARING ESCROW ACCOUNT ON OR BEFORE 02/29/88 AND THE COSTS OF ADMINISTERING THAT ACCOUNT SHALL BE BORNE BY COMSAT; THE SIMPLE INTEREST ACCRUING FROM 12/31/87 TO THE DATE OF DEPOSIT IN ESCROW SHALL BE CALCULATED BY COMSAT CONSISTENT WITH THE METHOD OF APPENDIX C, USING THE CURRENT INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE RATE, AND ADDED TO THE \$38.755 MILLION FIGURE STATED ABOVE; SUMS OWED TO END USER CUSTOMERS SHALL BE PID BY COMSAT ON OR BEFORE 02/29/88 AND THE AGGREGATE REFUND SUM PLACED IN ESCROW REDUCED ACCORDINGLY; THE SECRETARY SHALL, BY REGISTERED MAIL, SERVE A COPY OF THIS DECISION UPON THE COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION, AND SHALL ENTER PROOF OF SERVICE IN THE DOCKET IN THIS PROCEEDING; THE SECRETARY SHALL TRANSMIT A COPY OF THIS ORDER TO THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO. AND TO EACH PARTY FILING IN THIS

PROCEEDING; IN ADDITION TO THE FILING REQUIREMENTS GENERALLY IMPOSED BY THIS COMMISSION'S RULES FOR DOCKETED INVESTIGATION, A SEPARATE COPY OF PLEADINGS RESPONSIVE TO THIS ORDER SHALL BE FILED WITH THE COMMISSION'S COMMERCIAL CONTRACT DUPLICATOR; THE CHIEF, COMMON

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CARRIER BUREAU; THE CHIEF, TARIFF DIVISION; THE CHIEF, INTERNATIONAL FACILITIES DIVISION; AND THE RESPECTIVE DIVISIONS' REFERENCE ROOMS; THE CHIF, COMMON CARRIER BUREAU IS AUTHORIZED TO REQUIRE COMSAT TO MAKE SUCH MINOR ADJUSTMENTS TO THE ESCROWED AMOUNT AS MAY BE NECESSARY TO CORRECT ERRORS IN, OR REFLECT TECHNICAL MODIFICATIONS TO, THE DATA OR CALCULTATIONS UNDERLYING THE REFUND ORDERED THEREIN; FEDEX INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION CORPORATION'S 05/06/87 & ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S 05/07/87 "PETITIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION" ARE DENIED; AND, COMMENTS ON THE FLOW-THROUGH ISSUE DISCUSSED THEREIN SHALL BE FILED NOT LATER THAN 30 DAYS AFTER RELEASE OF THIS ORDER, AND REPLIES SHALL BE FILED NOT LATER THAN 45 DAYS AFTER RELEASE OF THIS ORDER. (FCC 87-388). RELEASED: 01/28/88. BD

- 02/23/88 - PETITION TO PARTICIPATE AS A PARTY FILED BY H. JACK SHEARER, MAJOR, USAF, JUDGE ADVOCATE AND CARL WAYNE SMITH, ASST. REGULATORY COUNSEL, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF REGULATORY COUNSEL-TELECOMMUNICATIONS, DOD FOR THE SECRETARY DEFENSE. BD
- 02/24/88 - PETITION FOR POSTPONEMENT OF EFFECTIVE DATE FILED BY SALLY KATZEN & RICHARD E. WILEY, ATTORNEYS AND WILLARD R. NICHOLS, COUNSEL FOR COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION (COMSAT). BD
- 02/24/88 - PETITION FOR CLARIFICATION THE COMMISSION'S 12/10/87 "MO&O," (FCC 87-388) FILED BY JOSEPH A. GODLES, ATTORNEY FOR TURNER BROADCASTING SYSTEM, INC. (TURNER). BD
- 02/25/88 - MEMORANDUM OPINION & ORDER ADOPTED BY THE CHIEF, COMMON CARRIER BUREAU IN CC DOCKET NO. 80-634 AND THIS PROCEEDING GRANTING COMSAT'S 02/24/88 "PETN. FOR POSTPONEMENT OF EFFECTIVE DATE; THE INSTRUCTIONS TO COMSAT CONTAINED IN FOOTNOTE 47 AND PARAGRAPH 46 OF THE COMMISSION'S 12/10/87 MO&O, FCC 87-388, RESPECTING THE DISBURSEMENT OF REFUNDS OWED TO END USERS, ARE HELD IN ABEYANCE UNTIL FURTHER ORDER; A PROCEEDING IS INSTITUTED TO DETERMINE THE METHOD AND PROCEDURE FOR A FAIR AND EQUITABLE DISTRIBUTION OF THE REFUND OBLIGATION IMPOSED ON COMSAT BY THE COMMISSION IN CC DOCKET NOS. 80-634 AND 85-268; CC DOCKET NO. 88-095 IS ASSIGNED TO THIS PROCEEDING; INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD FILE COMMENTS ON FLOWTHROUGH ISSUES, AND PROPOSALS FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF REFUNDS AMONG COMSAT'S CUSTOMERS, BY 03/11/88, AND REPLIES BY 03/25/88; THE ACTING SECRETARY SHALL TRANSMIT A COPY OF THIS ORDER TO AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY AND TO EACH PARTY FILING COMMENTS IN THIS PROCEEDING; IN ADDITION TO THE FILING REQUIREMENTS GENERALLY IMPOSED BY THE COMMISSION'S RULES FOR DOCKETED INVESTIGATIONS, A SEPARATE COPY OF PLEADINGS RESPONSIVE TO THIS ORDER SHALL BE FILED WITH THE COMMISSION'S COMMERCIAL CONTRACT DUPLICATOR; THE CHIEF, COMMON CARRIER BUREAU; THE CHIEF, TARIFF DIVISION; THE CHIEF, INTERNATIONAL FACILITIES DIVISION; AND THE RESPECTIVE DIVISIONS' REFERENCE ROOMS. (DA 88-238). 02/26/88. BD
- 02/29/88 - COMMENTS REGARDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FLOW-THROUGH TO ITS CUSTOMERS OF THE REFUND IT IS TO RECEIVE AS A CARRIER CUSTOMER FROM COMSAT FILED BY KEITH E. MCCLINTOCK & EDMUND B. RAFTINS, ATTORNEYS FOR AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY (AT&T). BD

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- 02/29/88 - COMMENTS ADDRESSING THE ISSUE OF FLOW-THROUGH FILED BY RUTH S. BAKER-BATTIST, ATTORNEY AND JOHN M. SCORCE, COUNSEL FOR MCI COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION (MCI). BD
- 03/01/88 - JOINT COMMENTS ADDRESSING THE ISSUE OF FLOW-THROUGH FILED BY JOSEPH J. JACOBS & PETER M. ANDERSEN, ATTORNEYS FOR WU WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC. AND WESTERN UNION CORPORATION. BD
- 03/01/88 - LETTER INFORMING THE COMMISSION THAT MCI WISHES TO WITHDRAW ITS 02/29/88 "COMMENTS" FILED BY RUTH S. BAKER-BATTIST, ATTORNEY FOR MCI. BD

03/02/88 - LETTER INFORMING THE COMMISSION THAT TBS WISHES TO WITHDRAW ITS 02/24/88 "PETN. FOR CLARIFICATION" FILED BY JOSEPH A. GODLES, ATTORNEY FOR TURNER BROADCASTING SYSTEM, INC. (TBS). BD

03/02/88 - LETTER INFORMING THE COMMISSION THAT AT&T WISHES TO WITHDRAW ITS 02/29/88 "COMMENTS" FILED BY EDMUND B. RATTLE, GEN. ATTORNEY FOR AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY (AT&T). BD

03/11/88 - COMMENTS FILED BY RODERICK A. METTE, VICE PRES. & COUNSEL FOR TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION (TRT). BD

03/11/88 - COMMENTS FILED BY FRANK W. KROGH FOR RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (RCA GLOBCOM). BD

04/07/88 - RESPONSE TO DOD'S 02/23/88 REPLY COMMENTS (PETN. TO PARTICIPATE) FILED BY FRANK W. KROGH FOR RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (RCA GLOBCOM). BD

04/07/88 - MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE ITS 04/07/88 "RESPONSE" FILED BY FRANK W. KROGH FOR RCA GLOBCOM. BD

12/05/88 - MEMORANDUM OPINION & ORDER ADOPTED IN CC DOCKET NOS. 80-634, 82-540 AND THIS PROCEEDING DIRECTING THAT THE INVESTIGATION OF COMSAT TARIFF F.C.C. NOS. 101 AND 14, TRANSMITTAL NOS 546, 553, 558, 565, 570, 574 AND 575, IS TERMINATED; THE INVESTIGATION OF COMSAT TARIFF F.C.C. NO. 101, TRANSMITTAL NOS. 507 AND 510, IS TERMINATED; AND, THE ACCOUNTING ORDER INSTITUTED BY THE BUREAU IN PARAGRAPH 52 OF THE DESIGNATION ORDER WHICH REQUIRED COMSAT TO KEEP ACCOUNTS OF ALL AMOUNTS RECEIVED UNDER TRANSMITTAL NO. 565, IS TERMINATED. (COMMISSIONER DENNIS CONCURRING IN THE RESULT.) (FCC 88-396). RELEASED: 12/08/88. BD

09/15/89 - MOTN. TO STRIKE, OR ALTERNATIVELY REQUEST FOR DECLARATORY RULING WITH RESPECT TO WORLD COMMUNICATION'S (?) 09/04/89 LETTER FILED BY PETER M. ANDERSON, ATTORNEY FOR WESTERN UNION CORPORATION. WEG

09/25/89 - STATEMENT OF POSITION FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEY FOR WORLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (DOCUMENT PLACED IN CC 88-95) WEG

08/06/90 - REAFFIRMED STATEMENT OF POSITION FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN, ATTY WORLD COMMUNICATIONS. WEG

08/24/90 - ADDITIONAL COMMENTS FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEY WORLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC. WEG

01/07/91 - UPDATED COMMENTS FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEY WORLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC. WEG

01/28/91 - OPPOSITION TO MOTN. TO STRIKE FILED BY ROBERT E. CONN, ATTORNEY WORLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC. WEG